

Fatal Crashes in the State of North Carolina

During the Thanksgiving Holiday (2019 vs 2020)

Category	2019 (November 27- December 1)	**2020 (November 25- 29)	Percentage Change (2019 vs 2020)	Trend Direction
Total Fatal Crashes	19	17	-10.5%	↓
*Impaired Driving	4	3	-25.0%	↓
Distracted Driving	0	1	100.0%	↑
Speeding	7	7	0.0%	-----
Unbelted	7	8	14.3%	↑

*Note: Impaired Driving include crashes that involve a driver in which alcohol or drug impairment is suspected or detected.

During the Christmas Holiday (2019 vs 2020)

Category	2019 (December 23-27)	**2020 (December 23- 27)	Percentage Change (2019 vs 2020)	Trend Direction
Total Fatal Crashes	20	17	-15.0%	↓
*Impaired Driving	5	7	40.0%	↑
Distracted Driving	2	4	100.0%	↑
Speeding	7	3	-57.1%	↓
Unbelted	8	8	0.0%	-----

During the New Years Holiday (2019 vs 2020)

Category	2019 (12-31-19 to 1-1-20)	**2020 (12-31- 20 to 1-1-21)	Percentage Change (2019 vs 2020)	Trend Direction
Total Fatal Crashes	10	5	-50.0%	↓
*Impaired Driving	5	1	-80.0%	↓
Distracted Driving	1	0	-100.0%	↓
Speeding	2	2	0.0%	-----
Unbelted	6	1	-83.3%	↓

****Please note that all of the 2020 crash data should be considered as "preliminary".**